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STATINTL 4. (Unclassified - LLM) In response to his earlier call to [REDACTED] [REDACTED] OER, which had been referred to us by Doug Mulholland, spoke with Joe Kashi, who explained that the Joint Economic Committee was compiling a compendium on the budgetary impact of MBFR and wanted to include certain tables comparing the strength of NATO and the Warsaw Pact countries. Specifically, Kashi asked if we could supply on a country basis figures showing gross national product; heavy industrial base (he will be satisfied with coal and steel production figures), and mobilization of population. In response to my query, he said he had not been able to get information in these areas from the Department of Labor and that he has been working with Robert Fouver of Treasury. I told Kashi that I thought we could work something out and he said he would get clarification within the Committee on the footnoting and attribution of the tables.

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5. (Unclassified - LLM) In response to a request from the office of Ralph Malvik, Office of Management and Budget, a report on [REDACTED] [REDACTED] was prepared and coordinated [REDACTED] Office of Personnel. (This involves waiver of statutory time limitation for filing claims for disability annuity under Civil Service retirement system.)

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6. (Unclassified - LLM) Bill Hogan, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, called and explained that the Committee will be taking testimony from [REDACTED] and asked if we had a copy of [REDACTED] memorandum of recommendation to the President. I told Hogan, and later confirmed with Mr. Warner, that whatever [REDACTED] material we had had been made available in Volume II of "Documentation Provided by CIA, 1 June 1973," which we had given to the Committee. I reminded Hogan that [REDACTED] had appeared before the Senate Armed Services Committee and he will be checking with Braswell or Woolsey.

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7. (Unclassified - LLM) In response to Mr. Warner's alert, spoke with Karen Skrivseth in Justice and Bill Skidmore, Office of Management and Budget, concerning certain Justice Department comments in connection with the espionage sections of the revision of the Criminal Code. It appears that Skidmore determines which Executive agencies review these comments and Skrivseth deals only with the substantive matter. I told both of them that we did not want to interject ourselves at this late hour, but we do want to be sure that appropriate officials are aware of the Agency's position in this area.